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OPPORTUNISTIC IMPROVEMENT OF DIGITAL CAMERA IMAGE

QUALITY

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Box Non-Fee Amendments **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 5, 2002 ("the Office Action"), Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

IN THE TITLE:

Please change the title to: --PROCESSING IMAGES IN A DIGITAL CAMERA--.



IN THE DRAWINGS:

Subject to the approval of the examiner, please amend Fig. 1 as shown in the attached sheet.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-9 without prejudice or disclaimer of the material contained therein, and add the following new claims:

A method for processing images in a digital camera comprising the steps of:

inputting a raw image;

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